

## THE FIGURING

## ON THE RESULT

Each Candidate Shows How He Will Win Tomorrow.

## IS NO LOSER IN THE LIST

Republicans Now Claim a Plurality for Tracy in Each Ward.

## GRANT SAYS VAN WYCK CAN'T LOSE

Low's Henchmen Make It Plain That He Is the Winner While George's Supporters Declare He Is the Man.

New York, October 31.—The republican committee confidently anticipates the election of General Tracy and each of the republican borough tickets. It believes, according to a statement issued today, that the vote for Henry George in the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx will considerably exceed the vote of the Citizens' Union. It is absolutely confident that Seth Low will not carry a single assembly district in the present city of New York and the only one where there is any real contest between Tracy and Low is in the twenty-ninth district, which Tracy will, they say, carry over Low by a full 1,000 votes.

The majority by which Governor Black defeated Porter last year will be just about the majority by which Tracy will defeat Van Wyck in the borough of Brooklyn. Tracy will beat Low two to one. The statement concludes:

"We expect to poll 115,000 votes for Tracy in New York and the Bronx, 70,000 in Brooklyn, 10,000 in Queens and 5,000 in Richmond, and we expect that vote to carry with it a plurality in each borough. The claims of the Citizens' Union are moonshine. They are without form and void."

Of the vote of the 300,000 which it is expected will be polled in the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx, former Mayor Hugh J. Grant estimates 115,000 will be cast for the regular democratic nominees, which is 38 per cent, or last year's average, which was a low one. This will leave 185,000 votes to be otherwise distributed.

Assuming that General Tracy and Mr. Low will have 115,000 votes to divide at the outset, there remain 69,000 votes. The socialists must be credited with 10,000 and the prohibitionists with 1,000. There will be 58,000 votes left to be cast with great liberality, may be credited with 12,000. Out of the remaining 46,000 votes the Tracy and Low factions will have the national democratic votes of last year and, say, about 5,000 other mugwumps, making 12,000 altogether, carrying their combined votes up to 120,000. The residue of 34,000 votes will split the democratic column, making the total strength 148,000, a conservative estimate.

In Brooklyn the registration is 294,000, of which 194,000 votes will be polled. A conservative estimate gives the democrats 84,000, leaving 110,000 to be divided otherwise. Tracy and Low are apportioned 52,000 of these. Henry George will get 5,000. The remaining 53,000 votes include the 5,000 that were with Shepherd in 1895, and these are credited to Tracy and Low, 5,000 to the socialists and 43,000 to the prohibitionists. The remaining 30,000 votes must be put into the regular democratic column, making the entire number there 84,000.

The democrats will get 50 per cent of the 120,000 votes in the borough of Queens and a like percentage of the 110,000 votes to be cast in the borough of Richmond. Putting the figures together, Leader Grant says they show that Judge Van Wyck will receive 240,000 votes out of 527,500 votes cast.

## CITIES WILL SWAY THE STATE.

Result in New York Will Not Be Decided by Country Vote.

Albany, N. Y., October 31.—Twenty-four hours before the practical closing of the campaign finds a condition as chaotic as has never been apparent in politics of New York state, and this is due to no lack of well-defined ideas of how the vote would run if state issues alone and the election of an assembly were the prevailing factors, but to the injection of some of the more bitter municipal contests that have ever prevailed in the cities of the state.

In Greater New York, in Albany, in Rochester, in Syracuse and in Buffalo, the greatest cities of the state, there will tomorrow campaigns upon local issues that have been notably bitter and even violent. That these local issues will have a bearing upon the vote of the only state office in controversy, the chief judgeship of the court of appeals, must be conceded, and that they will have a still greater bearing upon the assembly district contests is also apparent. Indications are that, while the contest for chief judgeship of the court of appeals will be a spirited one, the chances are distinctly in favor of election of the republican candidate. The belief is general that the republican vote in central and western New York for the past two or three years abnormally large, will be in the measure reduced, but there are no indications that it will fall below expected normal condition, which is to bring down to New York city a plurality of 65,000, with which to meet any plurality which the democrats show there.

In the past two years the plurality in the city that make up Greater New York has been a republican one, and the best condition of democratic expectations is that in that district is 25,000, so that upon their basis of figures, unless a landslide occurs, the republican candidate for judgeship must be elected. The democrats, however, in being placed twice upon the ticket and in newspaper endorsement, and these things may poll a vote of larger proportion than anticipated.

An advantage to remember that to the republican candidate is the expected tremendous republican pluralities of the past three years would be an almost insurmountable barrier.

In 1894 the republican plurality in the state was 135,000; in 1895 it was 90,000, and in the presidential election—it was 177,000. If any one of these tremendous pluralities is not lost in bulk, it will be a partial victory for the democrats.

Forty years the democrats have

controlled the legislature but four times in its two branches, and in that time have elected by joint ballot but three United States senators, Kernan, who was carried in by the Tilden wave, and Murphy, elected by the democratic body that succeeded what was known as the Hill apportionment. Throughout the state the democrats have made strenuous efforts this fall to increase the number of democratic members in the lower house, and it is evident that success will crown their efforts. Indeed, the republican managers have at all times believed that this was not only possible, but highly probable, being naturally aware that last year's immense majority of eighty in the lower house was due to the national campaign. The new assembly will, however, be still republican by a very good margin, but the democrats will accomplish one thing for which they are evidently striving, the reduction of the republican majority in the house so they may see hope of a democratic house in 1899, when a successor to Senator Edward Murphy is to be elected.

## BOTH SIDES CLAIM MARYLAND.

New Legislature Will Elect Successor to Senator Gorman.

Baltimore, October 31.—The voters of Maryland will on Tuesday elect a state comptroller, a clerk of the court of appeals and a new legislature, which in turn will choose a successor to United States Senator Arthur P. Gorman.

In the city of Baltimore a mayor and a

## REPUBLICANS ARE SHAKY IN OHIO

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## LOUISVILLE MAY GO DEMOCRATIC

One Hundred Rallies Will Be Held by the Voters Tonight.

## REPUBLICANS ARE CONFIDENT

Weaver's Supporters Are Sanguine of His Success.

## TODD'S FRIENDS SAY THAT HE CAN'T LOSE

Both Parties Are Putting in the Hardest Licks to Capture the Victory.

Louisville, Ky., October 31.—(Special.)—The most memorable municipal campaign in the history of Louisville will end Monday night with a series of rallies, one hundred in number, covering every voting ward in the city and participated in by all of the notable campaigners and organizers of the two parties.

In popular excitement and in human interest the political struggle between Charles F. Weaver, the nominee of the combined democracy, and George W. Todd, the representative of a part of the republican party and the American Protective Association, exceeds anything the large Falls City has ever known. From the first day of the campaigning last July to the present moment everybody has watched closely the battle being waged between these two political generals. From New York to New Orleans have come queries as to the status of the race, and only yesterday your correspondent answered questions of this character from twenty-one out of the state sources.

In 1870 Charles Jacob, democrat, and William P. Baxter, republican, ran a race that attracted the attention of men of all parties in every portion of the nation; but even that famous race was not so hotly contested as the present one.

The Weaver-Todd struggle for supremacy. In tremendous exertion and expenditure of energy it measures up almost to a national campaign and overtops any state race ever run in the history of Louisville's pioneers.

A few days ago the best posted democrats were of the opinion that it would be Weaver in a walk, but the unusual efforts put forth by the Todd following have shaken the faith of the democrats somewhat. They still believe Weaver will be the next mayor of Louisville and are ready to put their money up in large amounts on it, but they are not conceding any immense majority to the democratic candidate. Todd has taken the registration figures, which on their face give Weaver a clear margin of over 4,000, and per cent systematically to create dissatisfaction and discord among the elements of the democratic party, who are called by a Weaver in a walk, but the unusual efforts put forth by the Todd following have shaken the faith of the democrats somewhat.

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## UNION PACIFIC ON THE BLOCK TODAY

Government Will Get Back Its Money from the Buyers.

## FIRST BID TO EQUAL DEBT

Sale of Valuable Property Takes Place in a Dinky Old Warehouse.

## ONLY ONE BIDDER IS KNOWN SO FAR

Auctioneer Will Start Off with an Offer of \$58,000,000 and There He May Stop.

Omaha, Neb., October 31.—At 11 o'clock tomorrow morning down in a dingy freight house on the Omaha flats there will be a financial transaction that in two respects will be a record breaker.

In the first instance it will be the largest auction sale of which history makes mention, and in the second instance Uncle Sam will emerge from a money deal with his pockets without leaving behind him nearly all he advanced for the scheme in addition to large patches of his hide as evidence of good faith.

About \$58,000,000 will be paid by the reorganization committee for the line of the Union Pacific from Council Bluffs to Ogden.

There will be but one bid and that will be the offer of this reorganization committee. Master in Chancery W. D. Cornish has but one check guaranteeing a bid and that is the deposit of the committee.

All, or nearly all, of the members of the committee who are to attend the sale arrived this morning. Those who came in this morning are:

Alexander Miller, of Boston, secretary of the Union Pacific; Receivers J. W. Doane, Ellery Anderson and Oliver W. Mink. General Louis Fitzgerald and Winslow S. Pierce, attorney for the committee, also arrived.

John Sheridan, of Maryland, one of the government directors of the road, and General Solicitor Kelly are also here.

Among others who will be there are Senator John H. Thurston, General J. C. Cowin, of Omaha, the government attorney in this case; Judge Searson, of St. Paul, and all the prominent officials of the Union Pacific in Omaha.

The actual selling of the road will be made in this manner:

Master in Chancery Cornish will announce that the road is to be sold under the foreclosure of the lien of the government of the United States. He will then read a description of the road. Once this is finished, the balance of the operation will be over in very short order. Mr. Cornish will announce that the bid to be accepted is the maximum of the government's claim. Attorney Winslow S. Pierce will offer the amount for the reorganization committee, and Mr. Cornish will wait to see if anybody cares to make it \$58,000,000, and as nobody is going to care, he will declare the sale made to the reorganization committee and turn over the check of the committee deposited with him to guarantee its bid to the representatives of the government, and the matter will be closed.

The payment of the full amount over and above the guarantee check will be made at some future date to be arranged between the reorganization committee and the government. It will, however, be within a short time after the sale.

On Tuesday will be held the second sale under the foreclosure of the mortgage securing the holders of the construction bonds. The reorganization committee will, of necessity, be the purchasers.

None of the members of the committee are disposed to talk of the sale or the probable line of action that will be pursued afterwards. It is likely the road will, for a short time, be left in the hands of the receivers until it has been decided who shall take over the management of the road.

It is a serious thought that the new company, now being organized, will be given to this matter yet, but it is certain that if Mr. Clark desires to be president of the road as he was before the receivership, he can have the position.

## FIGHT IS CLOSE IN KENTUCKY.

Clerk of the Court of Appeals Only Officer To Be Elected.

Lexington, Ky., October 31.—(Special.)—The final work in one of the hottest state campaigns known in Kentucky in recent years will be done tomorrow and tomorrow night.

Congressman Bailey, of Texas, has been in the state making speeches during the past week and tomorrow he makes his last speech in the campaign at New Castle. He stopped over here today and in an interview he said he thought the state would go for Samuel Shackelford, the regular democratic candidate for clerk of the court of appeals, the only state office to be filled this year.

T. F. Hindman, the national democratic candidate for the same office, is expected to poll four times as many votes as Palmer and Buckner received in Kentucky last year, while the populist candidate, Joe Parker, will pool as many, perhaps, as Hindman. This will leave the race practically between Shackelford and J. B. Bailey, the republican candidate.

The democratic candidate for the clerk of the court of appeals, the only state office to be filled this year.

There is an element of uncertainty about the national democratic vote which will make the result somewhat doubtful. Last year they would poll 25,000 votes for Palmer and Buckner, but when their votes were counted they were found to have received but 8,000 in the whole state. Last year there was a populist running, so that the situation is more complicated. There















## THE WEATHER.

Georgia—Rain, clearing Monday evening; increasing easterly winds, shifting to southerly; cooler in eastern portion.  
 East Florida—Increasing cloudiness with rain in northern portion; southerly winds increasing in force, brisk and high off coast.  
 West Florida and Alabama—Rain, clearing during the afternoon or evening; brisk and high; variable winds, shifting to easterly; cooler near the coast.  
 Mississippi and Louisiana—Showers in the early morning, followed by fair Monday; southerly winds; slightly warmer in northern portion.  
 East Texas—Fair; slightly warmer in northern portion; southerly winds.  
 Tennessee—Rain, clearing in northern portion; southerly winds shifting to westerly.  
 Kentucky—Showers, clearing in western portion; southerly winds, shifting to westerly.

## FUNERAL NOTICES.

**CARLISLE**—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dickson are invited to attend the funeral of William H. Carlisle today at 11 a. m., from the residence, 33 Windsor street.

The following gentlemen will act as pallbearers and meet at Patterson's, 32 Peachtree, at 10 a. m.: W. C. Gibbs, J. M. Dickson, E. R. Bortick, L. C. Fischer, George Kreis, Clyde Shropshire and Fred Fraser. Interment at Oakland.

**QUINN**—The friends and acquaintances of Mr. J. H. Quinn and family, Mr. W. L. Quinn and family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. H. Quinn and babe at Norcross, Ga., Monday, November 1, 1897, at 3 p. m., from the Methodist church, C. V. Weathers, pastor. Train from Atlanta with the remains will leave at 7:50 a. m. via Southern railway.

## AMUSEMENTS.

At the Lyceum—Sue Kivlin and Wilbur Opera Company in "The Queen's Laundress," 8:15.  
 At the Grand—The Gorilla Minstrels, 8:15.  
 At the Columbia-Kilm-Hearn company, in "Nugget Nell," 8:15.

## MEETING.

A stated convocation of the Order of the Red Cross, will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening. The order of the Red Cross will be conferred. Knights Templar of good standing are cordially invited.

HENRY M. ROBINSON, Commander.  
 ZADOK B. JOON, Recorder.

## Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Georgia, Carolina and Northern Railway Company will be held at the office of the company in Atlanta, Ga., on Friday, November 12, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m. J. M. SHERWOOD, Secretary.

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CAR COMPANY  
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That Is the Verdict of the Coroner's Jury  
in the Carlisle Case.

## RAILWAY CO. IS RESPONSIBLE

Only One Death as a Result of Saturday's Collision.

## LIST OF INJURED SUPPRESSED BY COMPANY

Officers Say Unprincipled Lawyers  
Would Injure Injured Persons  
To Sue for Damages.

"We, the jury, impeached and sworn by J. R. Stamps, coroner, to inquire into the death of William H. Carlisle, here lying dead, do find from the evidence adduced that the deceased came to his death from traumatic injury sustained in collision of cars Nos. 31 and 46, of the Atlanta Railway Company, on Cooper street, near Woodward avenue, and said death was due to negligence of company."

"L. R. ALLEN,  
"Foreman."

That is the verdict of the coroner's jury in the investigation of the death of Will Carlisle in the Atlanta railway collision Saturday night.

The company is declared to be responsible for the death of Carlisle, and the jury



WILLIAM CARLISLE,  
Who Received Fatal Injuries in the Street  
Car Collision Saturday.

says the accident was caused by negligence of the company.

The coroner's jury held an inquest over Carlisle's body in Patterson's undertaking rooms, concluding it last night, with the result shown. A complete investigation was made. The facts of the accident as given in The Constitution yesterday were brought out.

The fatal collision on the Atlanta Street Railway Company's line Saturday afternoon has as yet resulted in but one death—that of Will Carlisle, which was told of in The Constitution yesterday.

As stated in The Constitution, young Carlisle, who was a son of Policeman J. C. Carlisle, died Saturday night at 9 o'clock from the effects of the injuries he received. He was conscious before he died and was aware that he would not live.

The funeral will take place at 11 o'clock this morning from the residence, 133 Windsor street.

Will Carlisle, as he was called by those who knew him, was an exemplary young man and had many friends in the city. His father has been connected with the police force for a number of years and was always honored and esteemed as a city official. His oldest son, Reed Carlisle, met with an accident a few years ago and had one of his hands severely crushed while working in The Journal's press rooms.

The two motormen, Ed Thomas and Will Reeves, who were injured in the accident, were doing as well as could be expected last night. There were many rumors about the condition of them being dead, but these were unfounded.

**A Cripple for Life.**  
 Mr. Ed Herrin, the traveling salesman who was hurt, was taken to the Gray Hospital Saturday night and the physicians deemed it advisable to amputate his left hand just above the wrist. This will leave him a cripple for life.

The other victims of the disaster were all reported as doing well. Two more names were added to the list last night, and there are still others to be heard from. Among the injured was a Miss Mitchell, who resides on Smith street, and a negro woman named Annie Weiborn, who was badly hurt.

It was not possible to get the full list of the injured. They were taken from the scene of the wreck very soon after the accident and the only person who was said to have had their names—a man named Floyd, who connected with the car company—declined to furnish it to the press.

**Afraid of Damage Suits.**  
 The claim agent of the company was early on the scene Saturday afternoon and he was averse to the names being published, as he feared damage suits. Last night a reporter of The Constitution called on Dr. Furse, the physician for the company, and he said when asked for the list of names that he would have to refer the matter to the officers of the road.

"The officials of the road seem to be afraid of the injured persons to bring suit," said the physician. "They say they will not be liable for the injuries sustained by the injured persons to bring suit."

**How the Crash Occurred.**  
 The collision occurred at the intersection of Cooper and Rawson streets and was a bottom at the foot of the two steep hills. The incoming cars, there being two coupled together, started over the hill at Rawson street and the outgoing car came down the hill from Whitehall street. When the two cars started down the hill there were but two blocks intervening between them. They got under headway before either could see the other, and it seems to have been impossible to check the speed sufficiently to prevent collision.

The demolished condition of the cars showed that they must have crashed to the ground with great force. Pieces of iron were being sent at a considerable rate of speed. The fronts of both cars were shattered and twisted and bent double and a whole piece of glass in the outgoing car, which was twisted and bent double and large pieces of timber were torn away.

One of the motormen, Ed Thomas, is seriously injured, and it is thought he may die.

FLANAGAN IS TO  
ESCAPE GALLOWS

That Is What the Law's Long Delay  
Means for Him.

## WILL DIE A NATURAL DEATH

Another Postponement of His Case  
Will Be Asked for Today.

## COLONEL GLENN LEAVES FOR FOREIGN TRIP

Flanagan Is Said To Be Slowly, but  
Surely, Failing in Health in  
DeKalb Jail.

Edwin C. Flanagan will never expiate his crime of double murder upon the gallows. Before all the legal technicalities in the case can be settled and the final death sentence passed upon him, the wretched and shivering little man, whose crime was the most terrible ever committed in this part of Georgia, will die a natural death, and thus escape the gallows out of a victim.

Today is the day set for the hearing of the Flanagan case in the supreme court, but when the case is reached on the docket Colonel Rountree will make a motion for continuance until January 15th, owing to the fact that Colonel W. C. Glenn is unable to argue the case, and is preparing to take a European trip for his health.

This will probably put the case off a year, for the supreme court will not be in session when Colonel Glenn returns.

In the meantime, Flanagan is slowly dying in DeKalb county jail, according to the physicians who have seen him lately. It is not thought that he can possibly live a year longer in jail. Physicians have made sworn statements to the effect that Flanagan is a gradually wasting away. He is a skeleton now; a wretched looking, shivering piece of humanity. He still has the morbid fear that a mob is after him, and never for a moment seems cheerful. He eats sometimes ravenously and doggedly and sometimes not at all.

The motion for continuance will no doubt be granted by the supreme court this morning, and there is no telling when the case will reach the supreme court.

Should Mr. Glenn lose the motion for a trial before the supreme court of Georgia, he has announced his intention of taking the case to the United States supreme court, and if he should do this, it will probably be two or three years before the case is finally ended.

Attorney General Terrell had prepared himself fully to go into the Flanagan case, and he will probably fight a continuance. Colonel Rountree, who submitted affidavits from Drs. Pinckney, Purse and Nicholson, stating that on account of Colonel Glenn's physical condition he is entirely unable to go into the case, advised that he would like to take a European trip. Colonel Glenn will leave tomorrow.

**JIMMY MICHAEL WILL RIDE.**  
**THE WELSH WONDER TO RUN 20 MILES IN 40 MINUTES.**

Jimmy Michael Tournament Will Be  
Pulled Off on the 9th—Many  
Other Races at That Time.

The next races at the coliseum will have as their star performer the wonderful little Jimmy Michael. The races will come on the night of November 9th and it will be known as the Jimmy Michael tournament.

Michael is a native of Wales, one of the world's having beaten the champions of the world, the English champions, Lizza, the Swiss champion, and all the champions of France and other European countries. He will meet all the champions in America before he returns to his native home in Wales.

He will race McDuffie in Chicago on the 16th for \$2,000 a side, and will meet Starback for \$3,000 a side at Madison square later. Michael holds a mile record of 1:36. When he comes here he will go twenty miles without a stop. He is expected to make it in forty minutes.

He will be paced by four tandems and a triplet relaying every mile. Manager Prince has arranged for some of the fastest riders to go on these tandems and they will set a rapid pace. Michael weighs 105 pounds and rides a 16 gear.

He practices twice a day, going from twenty to thirty miles at each time. There will be other races at this tournament and it is expected that they will be better than for any previous time.

## HAIR PARTED WITH A BULLET.

**A Negro Shot by a White Man Saturday Night.**

Saturday night Patrolmen Jones and Kilpatrick arrested Cal Stinett, a white man, for shooting a negro named Henry Green.

The shooting occurred on Peters street. Stinett, who was said to be drinking, became involved in some sort of a dispute with the negro and pulled out a revolver and fired one shot which struck the negro in the rim of the hat just above the forehead, passing through the top of his head, making a path through his hair.

Stinett claims that he was not drinking and that he shot the negro in self-defense.

**BENEFIT OF THE DAY NURSERY.**  
**Local Talent To Participate in Tuesday's Entertainment.**

Tuesday evening an interesting entertainment will be given at the executive mansion for the benefit of the day nursery of the Sheltering Arms mission.

The entertainment, for which a brilliant programme has been arranged, the best local talent of the city will play a conspicuous part. Major Washington, Miss Judge Joseph Henry Lumpkin, Judge Howard Van Epps and many others will contribute to the success of the occasion.

One of the features of the entertainment will be the rendition of a portion of the "Merchant of Venice," in which Portia and Shylock will be portrayed by popular Atlantaians.

Reverie is also badly hurt. There may be other fatalities before the last of the accident has been heard from.

The railroad officials have done all they could to help the injured and have given medical attention in every instance where it was required.

**Statement of Mr. Bennett.**  
 Mr. S. H. Bennett, secretary and treasurer of the Atlanta Street Railway Company, made the following statement of the accident to The Constitution last night:

"As to what caused the accident on our line on Saturday last, I am unable at this time to state, as I was not there at the time. I do not know myself."

"Both motormen were trying in their power to avert the accident as soon as they recognized the danger, and while neither of them is in the hospital, neither of them is too much shaken up to make any statement."

"In company with our claim agent, Mr. Mullin, I have visited every one of the injured and I am glad to say that with one exception, no one is fatally or even very seriously injured."

"We have done everything in our power for the sufferers and we have the personal assurance of everyone that the company are satisfied with the efforts put forth by the company."

"Both officially and personally I am more sorry for the occurrence than I can express."

S. H. BENNETT,  
 "Secretary and Treasurer."

ELECTION RETURNS  
TUESDAY NIGHT

They Will Be Shown on Canvas by  
The Constitution.

## EVERYBODY INVITED TO COME

Bulletins Will Be Displayed in Front  
of The Constitution Building.

## GREAT INTEREST IN TUESDAY'S ELECTIONS

Returns Will Begin To Come in Early  
and the Bulletins Will Tell  
the Tale.

**Election Returns Tuesday Night.**  
 The returns from the elections in New York, Ohio, Maryland, Kentucky, Virginia and other states will be displayed in front of The Constitution building Tuesday night. In New York the polls close early and returns will begin to come in as early as 7 o'clock. The Constitution has arranged for a full and complete bulletin service in addition to its regular news reports, and returns from the different states will be promptly displayed.

The Constitution will display the election returns on a canvas in front of The Constitution building tomorrow night.

Come out and watch the progress of the election in many states where elections will be held, the details of which will be shown by stereopticon on The Constitution canvas.

Elections will be held in New York, Ohio, Maryland, Kentucky, Virginia and other states, and great interest is centered in the outcome.

The returns will come in as fast as the wires bring the news. It will be shown on the cloth in plain view of the people.

Everybody is invited to come out and watch the returns come in.

The indications are that the returns will commence to come in as early as 7 o'clock and that at that time the Constitution will be prepared to entertain its friends and the public in front of The Constitution building. Bulletins will tell of the count in all the states and the results of the elections will be known early.

The greatest interest is naturally centered in New York and Ohio, and the returns from these states will be watched with great interest. The mayoralty race in Greater New York is one of the most attractive and exciting ever held in the country and the count will be closely watched.

The returns from the election in Greater New York will probably come in late, as the polls close early in New York and the time there is one hour faster than in Atlanta, making it probable that by 7 o'clock Atlanta may have many returns from the Greater New York election will be in.

The death of Henry George and the substitution of his son as a candidate on the ticket of the united democracy seems to have added interest to the campaign, and no doubt a great crowd will turn out tomorrow night to learn the result of the election.

In Ohio there is a fine contest in which the political life of Mark Hanna is at stake. Mark has made the effort of his life to maintain his present hold on the political situation. William Jennings Bryan has twice won over Hanna in Ohio and is expected to drive his arch enemy—Hanna—under cover. The returns tomorrow night will tell if Bryan succeeded.

At any rate, the election will be a hard fought one and the result will be important. The returns will show how the political wind is blowing in Ohio.

There is much interest in the elections in Virginia, Maryland and Kentucky, and complete returns from all the states will be shown.

Come out tomorrow night and watch the display of the returns by The Constitution.

## DELTA TAU DELTAS TO BANQUET

They Will Have a Spread and Speeches  
on Thanksgiving Day.

The Atlanta alumni chapter of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity will give their annual banquet Tuesday evening at the Hotel Hamilton. Extensive preparations have been made for the occasion and it will be an enjoyable time for the members.

Among the speakers will be W. W. Wrenn, Jr., W. B. Roberts, Stewart S. Macham, Major A. C. Wilcox, C. R. Tidwell, of Atlanta, W. S. Cheney, Marietta; L. M. Farnum, W. R. Stallings, Nowan, G. F. Johnson, Monticello; C. R. Churchill, New Orleans; Wilbur Collins, College Park; J. W. Barnett, of Athens.

A large number of the Delta Taus from different parts of the state are expected to be present and it will be a reunion for the Delta Taus of the South. The banquet will be held at 8 o'clock and the members of the Delta Taus are expected to be in attendance. The officers of the chapter are: Leon Kim Snider, Jr., president; J. L. Key, vice president, and S. K. Johnson, secretary and treasurer.

**LEGISLATURE MEMBERS INVITED**  
**Urged To Attend Services at the Central Presbyterian Church.**

Rev. Theron H. Rice, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, has named a special committee to wait upon the members of the Georgia senate and house of representatives and extend to them a cordial invitation to attend divine services at the Central Presbyterian church during their stay in the city.

The Central Presbyterian church is directly opposite the state capitol building on Washington street and is convenient to the members of the general assembly. Mr. Rice is one of the most eloquent and magnetic divines in the southern pulpit, and under his ministrations the church has rapidly grown in membership and religious activity.

**ELLIS RETURNS TO THE CITY.**  
**He Settled the Case Against Him in Griffin.**

W. T. Ellis, the saloon keeper who was arrested last week on a warrant from Griffin charging him with a misdemeanor, is in the city again, the matter having been settled to the entire satisfaction of parties concerned.

Ellis claims that he had to repay an old debt made by him signing a note six years ago. Rather than have further trouble about it, he paid the money a second time.

He said that it was a mistake about his having been in Griffin in six years since he left the place to go to California. He claims to have been in that city several times recently.

**Accident to Deputy Sheriff.**  
 American, Ga., October 31.—(Special.)—Deputy Sheriff McArthur was badly hurt yesterday when he was riding in a buggy in pursuit of a fugitive negro, when a vehicle struck a tree and threw them out. McArthur's collar bone was broken and he was badly injured and sustained as well. In the excitement attending the accident the negro, John Kaigler, made his escape.

COURT TO DECIDE  
WHO WILL CONTROL

Legal Battle Over Georgia Leasehold  
Comes Up Next Friday.

## JUDGE PARDEE WILL PRESIDE

Thomas and Ryan's Petition Will Be  
Taken Up and Heard.

## HEARING WILL BE EXCEEDINGLY WARM

Louisville and Nashville and Thomas  
and Ryan Must Fight It Out  
in the Courts.

One of the most interesting pieces of litigation that has been sprung in the Georgia courts in a long time is the great legal battle that is to be waged before Judge Don A. Pardee, of the United States court, in Atlanta on next Friday in order to solve the question as to the possession of the leasehold of the Georgia railroad.

Who is to become the manager of this property is the interesting question that is to be decided by the court. Shall Thomas & Ryan or shall the Louisville and Nashville control and manage the property? The case will be one of wide interest in railroad circles and the result of the court's decision is looked forward to with no little degree of expectancy.

Thomas & Ryan, claiming to be the rightful owners of one-half of the leasehold of the Georgia railroad, have filed a bill in the federal court, asking the court to interfere with the alleged illegalities in the management of the road by Manager Scott, who, it is charged, is colluding with the Louisville and Nashville people and ignoring the rights of the plaintiffs in the bill.

The Louisville and Nashville comes back at Thomas & Ryan with a voluminous cross bill and says that the half interest in the Georgia road lease does not belong to Thomas & Ryan by right. They say such an interest was formerly held by the old Central Railroad company, but that it was later forfeited on account of a failure on the part of the Central to comply with the contract of keeping the lease property covered with securities. The Louisville and Nashville, through its counsel, King & Spaulding, further say that the Central is debarred now from being a leaseholder in the Georgia railroad because it is a competing road with the Georgia, and this is against the state constitution.

There are countless side issues involved in the case and it is one of double significance. Major William T. Gary, of Augusta, has taken all the testimony in the case as special master, and so far as is now known, there will be a complete and positive settlement of the issue. He expects to court next Friday or as soon after the hearing as the decision in the case is reached.

**SERMON AND A LECTURE.**  
 Rev. H. R. Coleman, of Louisville, at the First Methodist.

Rev. H. R.











